

110TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 2137

To eliminate methamphetamine kingpins.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 4, 2007

Mr. GRAHAM introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred  
to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Methamphetamine  
5       Kingpin Elimination Act of 2007”.

6       **SEC. 2. TARGETING METHAMPHETAMINE KINGPINS.**

7       (a) CONTINUING CRIMINAL ENTERPRISE.—Section  
8       408(s) of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C.  
9       848(s)) is amended—

10               (1) by striking “200” and inserting “100”; and

11               (2) by striking “5 million” and inserting “1  
12       million”.

1 (b) CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES IMPORT AND EXPORT  
 2 ACT.—Section 1010(b)(1) of the Controlled Substances  
 3 Import and Export Act (21 U.S.C. 960(b)(1)) is amended  
 4 by adding at the end “In the case of a violation of sub-  
 5 paragraph (H), that portion of this paragraph which fol-  
 6 lows subparagraph (H) shall be read by substituting ‘20’  
 7 for ‘10’ and ‘30’ for ‘20’.”.

8 **SEC. 3. ASSISTANCE FOR MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL METH-**  
 9 **AMPHETAMINE TASK FORCES.**

10 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Attorney General, in con-  
 11 sultation with appropriate State and local officials, shall—

12 (1) establish methamphetamine task forces,  
 13 consisting of Federal, State, and local law enforce-  
 14 ment authorities, for the coordinated investigation,  
 15 disruption, apprehension, and prosecution of crimi-  
 16 nal gangs and offenders;

17 (2) direct the reassignment or detailing from  
 18 any Federal department or agency (subject to the  
 19 approval of the head of that department or agency,  
 20 in the case of a department or agency other than the  
 21 Department of Justice) of personnel to each task  
 22 force;

23 (3) provide all necessary funding for the oper-  
 24 ation of the task force; and

1           (4) provide all necessary funding for national  
2           and regional meetings of task forces, and all other  
3           related organizations, as needed, to ensure effective  
4           operation of such teams through the sharing of intel-  
5           ligence, best practices and for any other related pur-  
6           pose.

7           (b) MEMBERSHIP.—The task forces shall consist of  
8           agents and officers, where feasible, from—

9                   (1) the Federal Bureau of Investigation;

10                   (2) the Drug Enforcement Administration;

11                   (3) the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms,  
12           and Explosives;

13                   (4) the United States Marshals Service;

14                   (5) the Directorate of Border and Transpor-  
15           tation Security of the Department of Homeland Se-  
16           curity;

17                   (6) the Department of Housing and Urban De-  
18           velopment;

19                   (7) State and local law enforcement; and

20                   (8) Federal, State, and local prosecutors.

21           (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There  
22           are authorized to be appropriated \$20,000,000 for each  
23           of the fiscal years 2008 through 2011 to carry out this  
24           section.

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